

RURAL WATER DISTRICT NO. 6
Osage County, Kansas
Year Ended October 31, 2015

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Board of Directors
Rural Water District No. 6
Osage County, Kansas

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the Rural Water District No. 6, Osage County, Kansas, as of and for the year ended October 31, 2015, which comprise the District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the guidance in the Kansas Municipal Audit and Accounting Guide (KMAAG). Those standards and guidance require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility (Continued)

In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

Opinions

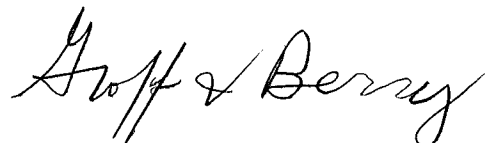
In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the business-type activities of Rural Water District No. 6, Osage County, Kansas, as of October 31, 2015, and the respective changes in financial position and, where applicable, cash flows thereof for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Other-Matters

The District has not presented the Management's Discussion and Analysis that accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require to be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such missing information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. Our opinion on the basic financial statements is not affected by this missing information.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the basic financial statements. The accompanying supplementary information is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

January 12, 2016



RURAL WATER DISTRICT NO. 6
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STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS
October 31, 2015

ASSETS

Current assets:	
Cash - checking	\$ 40,616
Accounts receivable	13,817
Other receivables	-
Prepaid insurance	<u>1,444</u>
Total current assets	<u>55,877</u>
Noncurrent assets:	
Restricted cash - checking	832
Restricted cash - savings	<u>7,780</u>
	<u>8,612</u>
Capital assets:	
Property, plant and equipment:	
Land and easements	3,233
Water system	1,612,680
Office equipment	3,565
Construction in progress	<u>33,204</u>
	1,652,682
Less: accumulated depreciation	<u>460,584</u>
	<u>1,192,098</u>
Total assets	\$ <u><u>1,256,587</u></u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part
of these financial statements.

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STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS
October 31, 2015

LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS

Current liabilities:		
Notes payable	\$ 11,206	
Accounts payable	9,117	
Accrued expense	1,242	
Meter application deposits	<u>2,700</u>	
Total current liabilities		\$ 24,265
Noncurrent liabilities:		
Notes payable		472,029
Net assets:		
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt	708,863	
Restricted for debt service	8,612	
Unrestricted	<u>42,818</u>	
Total net assets		<u>760,293</u>
Total liabilities and net assets		\$ <u>1,256,587</u>

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of these financial statements.

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STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES AND
CHANGES IN NET ASSETS
Year Ended October 31, 2015

Operating revenues:		
Water sales	\$ 69,192	
Debt service charges	58,650	
Penalties	1,635	
Miscellaneous	3,600	
Reimbursed expense	<u>4,893</u>	
Total operating revenues		\$ 137,970
Operating expenses:		
Water purchased	63,470	
Supplies and repairs	10,880	
Utilities	3,702	
Office supplies and expense	1,359	
Insurance	2,507	
Salaries	11,445	
Mileage reimbursement	1,811	
Professional fees	5,132	
Testing	324	
Dues	196	
Miscellaneous	2,357	
Water plan fees	660	
Payroll taxes	874	
Depreciation	34,821	
Bad debts	<u>860</u>	
Total operating expenses		<u>140,398</u>
Net operating loss		(2,428)
Non-operating income (expense):		
Interest income	79	
Interest expense	(17,704)	
Meter purchase	3,000	
Grant income	<u>14,850</u>	<u>225</u>
Changes in net assets		(2,203)
Net assets, beginning of year		<u>762,496</u>
Net assets, end of year		\$ <u>760,293</u>

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of these financial statements.

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STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
Year Ended October 31, 2015

Cash flows from operating activities:

Receipts from customers	\$ 131,659
Payments to suppliers	(105,439)
Other receipts	<u>8,493</u>

Net cash provided by operating activities 34,713

Cash flows from capital and related
financing activities:

Principal paid on notes	\$ (10,773)
Interest paid on notes	(17,733)
Construction in progress	(24,676)
Meter application deposits	3,700
Water system equipment	-
Grant revenue	<u>14,850</u>

Net cash used by capital and
related financing activities (34,632)

Cash flows from investing activities:

Interest received	61
Restricted cash	<u>18</u>

Net cash provided by investing activities 79

Net increase in cash and cash equivalents 160

Cash, beginning of year 40,456

Cash, end of year \$ 40,616

Reconciliation of operating income to net cash
provided by (used for) operating activities:

Operating loss	\$ (2,428)
Adjustments to reconcile operating loss to net cash provided by operating activities:	
Depreciation	34,821
Bad debts expense	860
Change in assets and liabilities:	
Receivables and prepaids	1,893
Payables	(454)
Accrued expense	<u>21</u>

Net cash provided by operating activities \$ 34,713

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of these financial statements.

RURAL WATER DISTRICT NO. 6
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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Equity and Basis of Accounting

The District was organized under Kansas law and is accounted for as an enterprise fund using the accrual basis of accounting. The District is not included in any other governmental "reporting entity" as defined in GASB pronouncements, since Board members are elected by the patrons of the District, have decision-making authority, power to designate management, the ability to influence operations and primary accountability for fiscal matters.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

For purposes of the statement of cash flows, all checking and unrestricted certificates of deposit are considered to be cash equivalents.

Capital Assets - Property, Plant and Equipment

Property, plant and equipment are carried at cost. Depreciation is computed using the straight-line method. When assets are retired or otherwise disposed of, the cost and related accumulated depreciation are removed from the accounts and any resulting gain or loss is recognized as income for the period. The cost of maintenance and repairs is charged to income as incurred; significant renewals and betterments are capitalized.

Membership

The sales price of benefit unit certificates is considered a contribution to the District. Contributions for meter setbacks and extensions from November 1, 1998 are also considered a contribution to the District. These are reported as "members' contributions." At October 31, 2015, the District had sold 200 benefit units.

Income Recognition

Water sales are recorded when collected. It is not practical to estimate service receivables at year end and such amounts are not material to the financial statements taken as a whole.

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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
(Continued)

1 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

Income Taxes

Rural Water District No. 6, Osage County, Kansas, is a tax-exempt entity and not subject to income taxes at either the federal or State level.

Budget

The District has not been required to operate under the Kansas budget laws. For the fiscal year ending October 31, 2015, a budget was required by Rural Development.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

2 - Restricted Assets

The District is using the reserve savings account and a portion of the cash in bank - checking at Lyndon State Bank to meet all loan reserve requirements at October 31, 2015, as follows:

Rural Development Administration	Loan 02	\$ 6,910
Rural Development Administration	Loan 04	<u>1,702</u>
Total		<u>\$ 8,612</u>
Account balance as of October 31, 2015		<u>\$ 8,612</u>

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3 - Capital Assets - Property, Plant and Equipment

Capital assets - property, plant and equipment activity for the year ended October 31, 2015 was as follows:

	October 31, <u>2014</u>	Additions (Deductions)	October 31, <u>2015</u>
Land and easements	\$ 3,233	\$ -	\$ 3,233
Water system	1,612,680	-	1,612,680
Construction in progress	8,528	24,676	33,204
Office Equipment	<u>3,565</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>3,565</u>
	<u>\$ 1,628,006</u>	<u>\$ 24,676</u>	<u>\$ 1,652,682</u>

Depreciation expense was \$ 34,821 for the year ended October 31, 2015.

4 - Long-Term Debt - Notes Payable

Long-term debt consisted of the following:

During a prior year the District borrowed \$ 395,000 from the United States Department of Agriculture - Rural Development on a Real Estate Mortgage (Insured Rural Water District Loan), dated May 9, 2011 for 40 years. The monthly payment is \$ 1,474, including interest of 3.25%. A portion of the proceeds was used to pay off the mortgage payable to Berkadia Commercial Mortgage on May 15, 2011. The loan is secured by all of the District's revenue and income, accounts, contract rights, water purchase contracts and general intangibles, now owned or hereafter acquired.

There are two other loans due to Rural Development dated February 10, 1998, payable for 40 years. The monthly payments are \$ 731, including interest at 4.875%.

During a prior year, the District borrowed \$ 9,066 from the Lyndon State Bank, Lyndon, Kansas at 5% per annum, payable over sixty months at \$ 171 per month.

Loan balances and maturity dates are as follows:

<u>Maturity Date</u>	October 31, <u>2015</u>
February 10, 2038	\$ 86,378
February 10, 2038	22,357
May 12, 2051	372,033
January 23, 2017	<u>2,467</u>
	<u>\$ 483,235</u>

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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
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4 - Long-Term Debt - Notes Payable (Continued)

Maturities for the loans are as follows:

<u>Year Ending October 31,</u>	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Interest</u>
2016	\$ 11,206	\$ 17,488
2017	10,091	17,056
2018	9,976	16,677
2019	10,370	16,289
2020	10,782	15,885
2021 - 2025	60,705	72,735
2026 - 2030	73,881	59,760
2031 - 2035	78,693	44,209
2036 - 2040	60,992	32,343
2041 - 2045	68,317	22,305
2046 - 2050	80,353	10,653
2051	<u>7,869</u>	<u>796</u>
	483,235	\$ <u>326,196</u>
Less: current maturities	<u>11,206</u>	
	<u>\$ 472,029</u>	

The following is a detailed listing of the District's long-term debt:

<u>Debt Issue</u>	<u>Interest Rates</u>
Installment promissory notes/ Real estate mortgage	
Water system	4.875%
Water system	4.875%
Water system (Real estate mortgage)	3.250%
Water system	5.000%

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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
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4 - Long-Term Debt - Notes Payable (Continued)

The following is a summary of changes in long-term debt for the year ended October 31, 2015:

<u>Debt Issue</u>	<u>Beginning Principal Outstanding</u>	<u>Additions to Principal</u>	<u>Reductions of Principal</u>	<u>Ending Principal Outstanding</u>
Installment promissory notes:				
Water system	\$ 89,196	\$ -	\$ 2,818	\$ 86,378
Water system	22,920	-	563	22,357
Water system	377,532	-	5,500	372,033
Water system	<u>4,360</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,893</u>	<u>2,467</u>
	<u>\$ 494,008</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 10,774</u>	<u>\$ 483,235</u>

5 - Deposits

Kansas State Statutes authorize the District, with certain restrictions, to deposit or invest in open accounts, time deposits, certificates of deposit, repurchase agreements and U.S. Treasury bills and notes. Statutes also require that collateral pledged must have a fair market value equal to 100% of the deposits and investments, less insured amounts, and must be assigned for the benefit of the District.

At October 31, 2015, the carrying amount of the District's deposits was \$ 49,227 and the bank balance was \$ 49,267, all of which was covered by federal deposit insurance.

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6 - Water Purchase Contract

On April 1, 1977, the District entered into a contract with Rural Water District No. 7, Osage County, Kansas, for the purchase of water. The original contract allowed for annual modification to the original rate of \$ 1.00 per 1,000 gallons of water. The current price is \$ 5.35 per 1,000 gallons of water.

The District's water purchases for the year ended October 31, 2015 are summarized as follows:

<u>Gallons Purchased</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Amount</u>
11,608,000	\$ 5.35/5.70	\$ 63,470

During the year October 31, 2004, the District entered into conversations with Rural Water District No. 7, Osage County, Kansas, regarding the price of water purchased per the contract. As a result, the two Boards have voted unanimously to pursue consolidation of the two Districts; however, at October 31, 2015, no further progress has been accomplished.

7 - Related Party

During a prior year, a Board officer was hired as the maintenance man for the District, to be compensated on an hourly rate and reimbursed for mileage. During the year ended October 31, 2015, \$ 3,120 was paid in salary and \$ 1,793 was paid for mileage reimbursement.

8 - Water Sales

During the year ended October 31, 2015, the District sold approximately 9,813,030 gallons of water. The water rates were \$ 7.00 per 1,000 gallons. For the year ended October 31, 2015, the approximate water loss was 15%.

The District, at a special meeting on August 16, 2011, approved increasing the water rates as follows:

Minimum (Debt Service Charge)	\$ 25.00
Water (Per 1000 Gallons)	7.00

The penalty figures at 10% per month on unpaid balances and the State water plan fee is \$ 0.032 per 1,000 gallons included in water price, unchanged from previous rates.

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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
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9 - Officers and Board Members

The officers and board members of the District for the year ended October 31, 2015 are as follows:

John Davied - Chairman
Don Garrett - Vice-Chairman
Gerald McMillin - Secretary
Dan Dehn - Treasurer
Richard Jackson - Member
Loren Eissler - Member
Randy Chenoweth - Member

10 - Kan Step Grant Application

During January 2013, a hearing was held by the Osage County Commissioners to discuss a Kan Step Grant Application on behalf of Osage County Rural Water District No. 6. The maximum Kan Step grant that may be requested is \$ 300,000.

The County of Osage proposes to build a 30' by 50' building, located at the Districts' Water Tower site. The building will consist of an office, meeting room, restrooms, storage room, booster pump station, and chlorination room. Also included will be a road crossing and connection to Public Wholesale Water Supply District No. 12.

The Grant Agreement No. 13-ST-005 shall commence on September 15, 2013 and complete September 14, 2015. The Community Development Program will provide \$ 183,624 and the District will provide \$ 142,972, plus an additional \$ 5,000 for engineering design and administration. The completion date has been extended due to changes.

As of October 31, 2015, \$ 18,600 was paid by the Grant for administrative and engineering expenses and \$ 27,218 in labor and equipment use had been donated by members. The District has spent \$ 14,604 on materials.

11 - Subsequent Events

Management has reviewed subsequent events through January 12, 2016.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

RURAL WATER DISTRICT NO. 6
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BUDGET COMPARISON
Year Ended October 31, 2015

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>	Variance - Favorable (Unfavorable)
Revenues:			
Water sales	\$ 69,192	\$ 69,000	\$ 192
Debt service charges	58,650	59,000	(350)
Penalties	1,635	1,200	435
Miscellaneous	8,493	3,800	4,693
Interest income	<u>79</u>	<u>85</u>	<u>(6)</u>
Total revenues	<u>138,049</u>	<u>133,085</u>	<u>4,964</u>
Expenditures:			
Water purchased	63,470	61,050	(2,420)
Repairs and maintenance	10,880	7,010	(3,870)
Salary	11,445	11,000	(445)
Utilities	3,702	3,600	(102)
Professional services	5,132	5,000	(132)
Debt retirement (interest expense)	17,704	17,753	49
Miscellaneous	4,397)	
Office supplies and expense	1,359)	
Insurance	2,507)	
Payroll taxes	874) 11,250	2,113
Mileage reimbursement	1,811	2,000	189
Depreciation	<u>34,821</u>	<u>34,821</u>	<u>-</u>
Total expenditures	<u>158,102</u>	<u>153,484</u>	<u>(4,618)</u>
Net revenues over (under) expenditures	\$ <u>20,053</u>	\$ <u>(20,399)</u>	\$ <u>346</u>

See accompanying independent auditor's report.

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INSURANCE COVERAGE
Year Ended October 31, 2015

The District's insurance policy is provided by EMC Insurance Companies through Bolz Insurance, Inc., with a premium of \$ 2,344 and covers the period April 9, 2014 to April 9, 2015. It provides the following coverage:

	<u>Coverage</u>
Commercial property:	
Water tower (90% replacement cost)	\$ 235,286
Pump station (90% replacement cost) (\$1,000 deductible)	85,469
Commercial general liability:	
Liability	1,000,000/1,000,000
Bodily injury and property damage	500,000/500,000
Damage to rented premises	100,000
Medical expense	5,000
Linebacker declarations:	
Liability	1,000,000/1,000,000
Deductible per loss	1,000
Position schedule bond:	
Treasurer (January 17, 2015 to January 17, 2016)	30,000
Builders risk - commercial	
Covered property at job site (October 16, 2015 to April 9, 2016)	100,000

See accompanying independent auditor's report.